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# ***Bulbs***

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*For Fall Planting*



*Darwin Tulips, Clara Butt*

**BOBBINK & ATKINS**

*Nurserymen and Florists*

**RUTHERFORD, N. J.**

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# HYACINTHS

These lovely spring-flowering bulbs make a beautiful show in beds and borders and are exceptionally fine for culture in pots and glasses. Cultural directions follow:

**In Pots:** Good light soil is of first importance; rich loam, decayed cow-manure, and sand, in equal parts, will suit them best. Use 4- or 5-inch pots and plant so that top of bulb is level with the surface of the soil. After potting, place them on a bed of wet ashes or ordinary soil and cover to a depth of 5 or 6 inches. When well-rooted, which will be in about six weeks, they may be removed indoors. The best planting-time is October and November.

**In Beds and Borders:** Plant bulbs 6 inches apart and 5 inches deep, in light, rich loam, which should be previously dug to a depth of 18 inches. The best time to plant is October and November. Give beds a slight covering of small litter, straw, or hay, to protect against severe winter weather. This should be removed about the end of March.

**In Glasses:** Fill the glass with clear water, so that it just touches the base of the bulb, and then place in a cool, dry place for a month, until the roots reach the bottom of the glass, when they may be brought to the light. A sufficient supply of water should be kept in the glass, and all decayed skin should be removed from the bulbs from time to time. A lump of charcoal placed in the bottom of the glass will keep the water from fouling. The water should be changed every two or three weeks.

## SELECT HYACINTHS

FOR POTS, GLASSES AND OUTDOOR PLANTING

\$2 for 10, \$14 per 100

**Arentine Arendsen.** Strong spikes of wide-open white bells. Very early.

**Czar Peter.** Large, waxy bells of light lavender-blue; splendid spike.

**Enchantress.** Soft sky-blue, tinted lilac; well-formed truss of large bells. Very pretty.

**Gertrude.** Large, compact trusses of deep rose. A fine variety for bedding.

**Gigantea.** One of the best blush-pink varieties; large truss.

**Grande Blanche.** Large bells of blush-white.

**Grandeur a Merveille.** Lovely blush-white; large spikes.

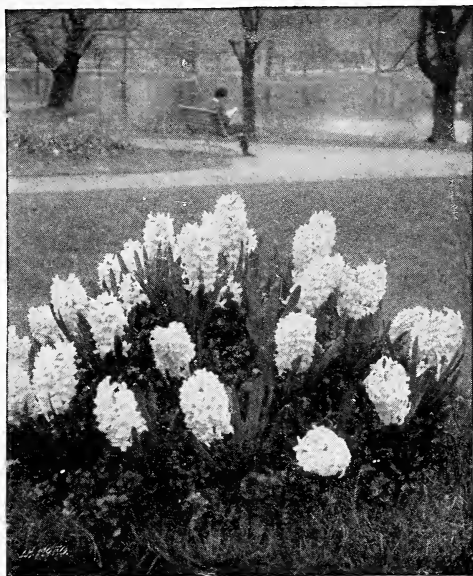
**Grand Maitre.** Very long, well-filled truss of deep lavender-blue, on unusually strong stems; large bells.

**King of the Yellows.** Pure deep yellow. Very handsome.

**Lady Derby.** Soft rose; large truss and bells. Fine for pots.

**La Victoire.** Bright, glistening carmine-rose becoming fine dark pink under glass; long, well-filled spike of medium-sized bells. Fine bedding sort, having strong stems and lasting color.

**La Franchise.** Creamy white; large spike and bells.



*The Hyacinth makes a gorgeous bed*

### SELECT HYACINTHS, continued

**La Grandesse.** Pure white; large bells, compact truss.

**L'Innocence.** Large, pure white bells of great substance; fine truss. One of the best potting and bedding sorts.

**Mme. Van der Hoop.** Large pure white bells.

**Moreno.** Waxy pink; very large truss and bells. Fine for pots.

**Queen of the Blues.** Beautiful clear, light porcelain-blue; large compact spike of medium-sized bells; strong stem.

**Roi des Belges.** Clear, rosy carmine; medium-sized, compact truss.

**Golden Hammer.** Rich golden yellow; large truss. Very showy.

### MINIATURE (DUTCH ROMAN) HYACINTHS

These come into flowering earlier and the bells are looser and more graceful. Fine for growing in pots.

\$1.25 for 10, \$8 per 100

**Gertrude.** Deep rose.

**Gigantea.** Lovely soft blush or shell-pink.

**Grand Maitre.** Deep porcelain-blue.

**Grandeur a Merveille.** Blush white.

**King of the Blues.** Rich, deep blue.

**La Grandesse.** Snow-white.

**L'Innocence.** Purest white.

**Queen of the Blues.** Silvery azure-blue.

## DOUBLE HYACINTHS

\$2 for 10, \$14 per 100

**Charles Dickens.** Pale blue, shaded darker.

**General Kohler.** One of the finest double bright blues.

**Double La Grandesse.** A double-flowering form of the well-known La Grandesse. Pure white. Extra fine.

**President Roosevelt.** Very large trusses of bright lively pink.

**Sunflower.** Considered the finest double pure yellow.

## MIXED HYACINTHS IN SEPARATE COLORS

Best Quality, Suitable for Forcing or Bedding.

80 cts. for 10, \$6 per 100

Dark Red

Light Blue

Pink

Dark Blue

White

Blue

Yellow

## TULIPS

The Tulip is unequalled in beauty of form and brilliancy of coloring, and is one of the most useful of the spring-flowering bulbs. It is excellent for growing in pots, beds, or borders and massing in front of shrubbery. Our bulbs are all first-class stock.

## SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

<b>Artus.</b> Brilliant deep scarlet. Fine bedder.....	10 \$0 40	100 \$3 00
<b>Belle Alliance.</b> Brilliant scarlet, yellow base; large flower. Good bedder or forcer. 11 in.....	60	4 00
<b>Chrysolora.</b> Large globular; clear golden yellow. Fine bedding sort. 12 in.....	60	4 00
<b>Cottage Maid.</b> Carmine-pink, center of petals feathered white. Excellent bedder. 10 in.....	50	3 50
<b>Crimson King.</b> Crimson-scarlet, with yellow base; sweet-scented. A fine bedder and good for late forcing. 14 in. . .	50	3 50
<b>Duchesse de Parma.</b> Deep orange-scarlet with an irregular border of deep orange-yellow; very large blooms. Showy bedder, and fine early forcer. 13 in.....	60	4 00
<b>Goldfinch.</b> Large, clear chrome-yellow retaining color until petals drop. Good bedder and fine early forcer. 12 in....	70	4 50
<b>Keizerkroon.</b> Bright crimson-scarlet, edged rich yellow; large flower on long stem. Fine bedder and good for early and late forcing. 16 in. ....	60	4 00
<b>La Reine.</b> White, flushed with pink. Good bedder and early forcer. 13 in. .	60	4 00
<b>Pink Beauty.</b> Enormous flowers borne on long, stiff stems; vivid cherry-rose, center of petals striped white, white base starred yellow. A handsome bedder and fine late forcer. 12 in.....	90	6 50

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## SINGLE EARLY TULIPS, continued

<b>Prince of Austria.</b> Large showy flowers of brilliant orange-scarlet, with yellow base; deliciously scented. Extra-fine bedder and early and late forcer. 15 in.	10	100
<b>Proserpine.</b> Rosy carmine, with white base marked slate-blue; enormous flower of full, globular shape; sweet-scented. Handsome bedder and fine early forcer. 14 in.	\$0 70	\$4 50
<b>Rose Gris-de-Lin.</b> Delicate rose, shaded blush-white. Good bedder or forcer....	1 00	7 00
<b>Rose Luisante.</b> Large, brilliant, deep rose-pink blooms; splendid bedder or late forcer. 10 in.	60	4 00
<b>White Hawk.</b> Very large, pure white flowers with crinkled petals of great substance. The earliest and best white forcing variety and a fine bedder. 13 in.	75	5 00
<b>Yellow Prince.</b> Golden yellow; sweet-scented. Good forcer and bedder. 14 in.	70	4 50
<b>Early Single Tulips. Extra-Fine Mixed,</b> all colors assorted.	60	4 00
\$20 per 1,000..		3 00

## DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

<b>Boule de Neige.</b> Large, full, pure white flowers, resembling a peony. Fine forcer and bedder. 10 in.	10	100
<b>Couronne d'Or.</b> Deep yellow, flushed orange-red; large. Good forcer and bedder. 10 in.	\$0 60	\$4 00
<b>Imperator rubrorum.</b> Bright scarlet, yellow base. Excellent for forcing and bedding. 10 in.	90	6 00
<b>La Candeur.</b> Very full, large flowers of pure white. Fine bedder. 10 in.	90	6 00
<b>La Grandesse.</b> Splendid rich deep rose-pink. Fine bedder.	60	4 00
<b>Murillo.</b> Delicate rose-pink, flushed white. Fine bedder and forcer. 11 in.	60	4 00
<b>Rubra maxima.</b> Rich dark scarlet. Fine bedder.	70	4 50
<b>Salvator Rosa.</b> Beautiful deep rose, slightly flushed white. Grand for beds and forcing. 12 in.	70	4 50
<b>Tea Rose.</b> Lovely saffron-yellow or apricot. A sport of Murillo with all its good qualities. 12 in.	75	5 00
<b>Tournesol.</b> Bright scarlet, with broad yellow tips and yellow base; very large. Easy forcer. 11 in.	1 00	7 00
<b>Double Early Tulips, Fine Mixed,</b> all colors assorted.	90	6 00
\$25 per 1,000..		3 00

## MAY-FLOWERING or COTTAGE

This popular variety of Tulips comes into bloom about two weeks later than the early-flowering sorts and extends the Tulip season by about four weeks. They are extremely hardy, and have long stems and

## MAY-FLOWERING or COTTAGE TULIPS, continued

flowers of great substance. Set bulbs a little deeper than early-flowering sorts—cover 4 inches.

<b>Bouton d'Or.</b> Cup-shaped flowers of deep chrome-yellow, with black anthers. Late forer; a good cut-flower. 20 in....	10	100	\$0 60	\$4 00
<b>Fairy Queen.</b> Soft rosy lilae, outer petals broadly margined amber-yellow. 20 in.	60	4 00		
<b>Gesneriana lutea.</b> Perfectly shaped flowers of purest golden yellow, on strong stems. 24 in.....	60	4 00		
<b>Golden Crown.</b> Large flowers, with rich yellow, pointed petals, faintly edged with red. Very attractive. 16 in.....	60	4 00		
<b>Inglescombe Yellow.</b> Immense, globular, rich yellow flowers, some seasons showing a narrow crimson edge. 24 in.	60	4 00		
<b>Mrs. Moon.</b> The largest and finest of the late yellow Tulips. Flowers rich yellow; sweet-scented. 24 in. ....	90	6 00		
<b>Shandon Bells. (Blushing Bride).</b> Creamy yellow, tinted with blush, passing to carmine-pink as flower ages. 15 in.	60	4 00		
<b>Picotee.</b> White, edged pink, which suffuses the whole flower as it ages. 20 in.	60	4 00		
<b>The Fawn.</b> Very artistic shade of fawn or dove-color, suffused with rose. 20 in.	60	4 00		
<b>May-Flowering or Cottage Tulips, Special Mixture,</b> all colors .....	50	3 00		

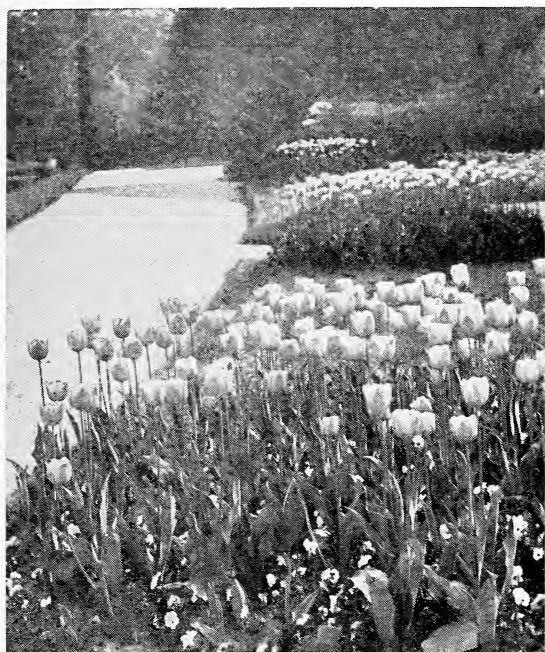
## DARWIN TULIPS

These May-flowering varieties have become very popular within the last few years. They are quite distinct in style of growth and stately in appearance, reaching a height of 24 to 30 inches. The long, strong, straight stems bear lovely globular flowers of very heavy texture and in every conceivable color, except yellow. Plant 5 to 6 inches deep and not less than 5 inches apart. If possible protect from cold winds.

<b>Baronne de la Tonnaye.</b> Large, vivid rose-pink flower, toning to silvery rose at the margins of the petals. 25 in....	10	100	\$0 60	\$4 00
<b>Clara Butt.</b> Lovely clear pink, flushed salmon-rose, inside much deeper, with blue base and white halo. 21 in.....	60	4 00		
<b>Dream.</b> Pale heliotrope, with darker stripe of heliotrope, inside deep violet, blue base. 27 in. ....	75	5 00		
<b>Edmee.</b> Vivid cherry-rose, edged soft old-rose; large flower. The brightest and strongest color of the type. 25 in..	75	5 00		
<b>Glow.</b> Good-sized flower of dazzling vermilion-scarlet with white base with blue markings. 23 in. ....	70	4 50		
<b>Gretchen.</b> Globular flower of soft salmon-rose. 24 in. ....	60	4 00		
<b>Harry Veitch.</b> Brilliant blood-red, shaded with brownish maroon; large, finely formed flowers. 23 in. ....	60	4 00		



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## DARWIN TULIPS, continued

<b>King Harold.</b> Immense flower of deep ox-blood-red, with purple-black base; strong stem. 24 in.....	10	100
	\$0 60	\$4 00
<b>La Tristesse.</b> Medium-sized flower of dull salty violet with white base. Very distinct color. 26 in.....	90	6 00
<b>La Tulipe Noire.</b> Sometimes called the "Black Tulip." Very dark maroon-black, with a velvety sheen in the sunlight; large flowers. 25 in.....	1 00	7 00
<b>Loveliness.</b> Bright rose, margined salmon. Very pretty. 23 in.....	60	4 00
<b>Mme Krelage.</b> Very long flower of handsome form; bright lilac-rose, margined pale silvery rose, inside soft rose-pink. 28 in.....	70	4 50
<b>Massachusetts.</b> Large, beautifully formed flowers of vivid pink, edged rosy white, with tawny blue toward the white base. 26 in.....	70	4 50
<b>Mr. Farncombe Sanders.</b> Large, broad-petaled flowers of perfect shape; scarlet, with rosy bloom, inside cerise-scarlet, with white base. 25 in.....	70	4 50
<b>Mrs. Potter Palmer.</b> Rich, glowing amaranth-purple. 28 in.....	70	4 50
<b>Nauticas.</b> Large bloom of purplish rose, base violet, shaded bronze. Very handsome. 30 in.....	60	4 00

## DARWIN TULIPS, continued

<b>Ouida.</b> Huge flower of crimson-scarlet, with slight purplish bloom and white base starred dull blue. 29 in.....	10	100
	\$0 70	\$4 50
<b>Painted Lady.</b> Good-sized flower, of creamy white, faintly tinged soft heliotrope when opening. Resembles a water-lily. 27 in.....	60	4 00
<b>Philippe de Commynes.</b> Large, velvety maroon-purple, on stiff stem. 24 in...	90	6 00
<b>Pride of Haarlem.</b> Immense, beautifully formed flower borne on tall, strong stem; brilliant rosy carmine, blue base. 25 in.	70	4 50
<b>Princess Juliana.</b> Orange-scarlet, flushed salmon, inside vivid scarlet, with blue base, starred white. 24 in. ....	70	4 50
<b>Psyche.</b> Handsome silvery rose, edged soft rose with inside shaded silvery rose, pale blue base; large flower. 26 in.	60	4 00
<b>Rev. H. Ewbank.</b> Good-sized of soft lavender-violet, with silver-gray flush, darkening toward the white base. 22 in.	70	4 50
<b>Salmon King.</b> Dazzling rosy scarlet, suffused with salmon.....	70	4 50
<b>Sieraad Van Flora.</b> Magnificent flower of bright red, with a blue base. Very beautiful.....	1 00	7 00
<b>Suzon.</b> Large, erect flower of soft buff-rose, shading to blush at margin of petals, inside deep rose, with white base marked blue. 25 in.....	60	4 00
<b>Theresse Schwarze.</b> Very soft heliotrope lilac.....	70	4 50
<b>White Queen (La Candeur).</b> Pure white, slightly tinted blush when opening; large globular flowers. 28 in.....	60	4 00
<b>William Pitt.</b> Exceedingly beautiful flower of very dark crimson, with purplish bloom on outer petals, and white base starred blue; large. 24 in..	1 25	8 00
<b>Darwins Assorted</b> .....\$30 per 1,000..	50	3 00

## BREEDER TULIPS

These are similar to the Darwins, and bloom at the same time. Their bronze, buff, and brown shades form lovely contrasts with the brighter colored varieties. Culture same as for Darwins.

<b>Bronze Queen.</b> Large flower of soft buff, inside tinged golden bronze. Lovely color when forced. 28 in.....	10	100
	\$1 00	\$7 50
<b>Cardinal Manning.</b> Dull wine-red, flushed rosy bronze, changing to rosy violet, shaded bronze. 30 in.....	80	5 50
<b>Godet Parfait.</b> Very large flower of dark blue-purple, with white base and blue halo. One of the best. 30 in. ....	2 40	18 00
<b>Golden Bronze (Toison d'Or).</b> Light brownish yellow, with faint flush of heliotrope outside, inside deep mahogany-brown, shading to golden brown at tip of petals, yellow base. 24 in.....	1 80	14 00

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### BREEDER TULIPS, continued

	10	100
<b>Mahony.</b> Mahogany-brown.....	\$1 00	\$8 00
<b>Medea.</b> Salmon-carmine.....	60	4 00
<b>Yellow Perfection.</b> Light bronze-yellow, edged golden yellow, inside bronzy brown, with yellow base starred green; large flower; very effective. 24 in.....	1 25	8 00

## PARROT TULIPS

These are so named because the shape of the bud resembles the head of a parrot. They bloom in May and have lacinated or slashed edges. Plant bulbs 4 or 5 inches apart.

<b>Cramoisi Brillant.</b> Very large flower of rich blood-crimson, with black mark- ings. Very free bloomer.....	10	100
	\$0 50	\$3 00
<b>Lutea major.</b> Clear yellow, with a few crimson and green blotches and stripes; large flower.....	50	3 00
<b>Perfecta.</b> Yellow and red, striped.....	50	3 00

## NARCISSI (DAFFODILS)

The Daffodils are truly the heralds of spring, for they give us the first touch of color in garden and border after the winter snows are gone, and by careful selection of varieties, their season of bloom may be made to extend to May. All are hardy, with the exception of the Polyanthus varieties, which require a covering of litter over winter. Plant bulbs one and a half times their own depth, but in light soils set a half inch deeper, 3 to 4 inches apart for the smaller sorts and 5 to 6 inches for the larger ones.

<b>Alba plena odorata.</b> A double white form of the Poet's Narcissus. Late- flowering; delightfully scented. 15 in..	10	100
	\$0 60	\$4 00
<b>Orange Phoenix.</b> Beautiful, double white flowers with orange nectary. 17 in....	60	4 00
<b>Silver Phoenix.</b> Large creamy white flower with sulphur-yellow center. 18 in.	60	4 00
<b>Van Sion.</b> Rich golden yellow perianth and trumpet. Large; fine form. 13 in.		
Double-nose Bulbs.....	1 25	7 50
Single-nose Bulbs.....	75	5 00

## TRUMPET NARCISSI

<b>Barrii conspicuus.</b> Large, broad, spreading perianth of soft yellow; short yellow cup, edged bright scarlet. 21 in..	10	100
	\$0 60	\$4 00
<b>Bicolor, Victoria.</b> Large, durable flowers with broad perianth of creamy white, and large, broad, fluted trumpet of rich yellow. 16 in.....	90	6 00
<b>Emperor.</b> A very large flower of remark- able substance; perianth deep primrose- yellow, trumpet deep yellow. 20 in. . .	75	5 00



*Mme. de Graaf Narcissus*

TRUMPET NARCISSI, continued

<b>Empress.</b> Sulphur-white perianth, with rather narrow petals; trumpet rich chrome-yellow. 18 in.....	10	100	
	\$1 00		\$7 50
<b>Glory of Leiden.</b> Large flower of great substance; perianth primrose-yellow, streaked straw-yellow; long trumpet of golden yellow. 16 in. ....	1 25		8 00
<b>Golden Spur.</b> Deep, rich yellow; perianth large and spreading; trumpet, large with broad open mouth. 17 in...	1 00		7 50
<b>Incomparabilis, Sir Watkin.</b> A giant flower with primrose-yellow perianth and well-formed yellow cup, tinged deep yellow. 18 in.....	1 00		7 00
<b>Stella alba.</b> Perianth white, trumpet yellow .....	60		4 00
<b>Leedsii, Mrs. Langtry.</b> Perianth white; cup pale primrose when opening, passing to white. 16 in.....	60		4 00
<b>Mme. de Graaff.</b> Large; perianth pure white; trumpet soft primrose, passing to milk-white. 15 in.....	1 25		8 00
<b>Mme. Plomp.</b> Perianth white, with twisted petals; trumpet very long, deep yellow. 16 in.....	1 00		7 00
<b>Princeps.</b> Perianth sulphur-white, trumpet rich yellow. Very popular. 15 in...	1 00		7 00

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### NARCISSUS POETICUS

These have small, wide-mouthed cups instead of the trumpet or crown. They are very hardy and are used in large numbers for naturalizing.

<b>Poeticus.</b> Pure white flowers with orange cup, edged with red. The popular late-flowering Pheasant's Eye variety. 15 in.	10	100
	\$0 50	\$3 00
<b>Poeticus ornatus.</b> Larger and more symmetrical than Poeticus, and earlier. Pure white flower with saffron cup, tinged rosy scarlet. 15 in. ....	60	4 00

### JONQUILS

<b>Campernelle.</b> Deep yellow flowers of large size, fine for cutting. ....	40	2 50
<b>Campernelle rugulosus.</b> Handsome flowers of pure yellow; very fragrant...	55	3 50
<b>Single Jonquil.</b> Produces an abundance of very fragrant rich yellow flowers....	40	2 50
<b>Double Jonquil.</b> Double flowers of deep golden yellow; sweetly scented. ....	60	4 00

### CROCUS

The Crocuses are the first flowers to bloom in the spring and are very easy to grow. They are very pretty wherever planted. Corms should be planted 2 inches deep in rich, well-drained soil in a sunny situation. For a natural effect, drop corms by handfuls and plant them where they lie.

<b>Mammoth Yellow.</b> Lovely golden yellow. Free-flowering. ....	10	100
	\$0 40	\$2 50
<b>Mont Blanc.</b> Large pure white flowers..	35	2 00
<b>Purpurea grandiflora.</b> Large, purple flowers. ....	40	3 50

### MIXED CROCUS

All Blooming-size Bulbs

<b>Large White</b>	<b>Large Striped or Variegated</b>
<b>Large Blue or Purple</b>	<b>Large, All Colors Mixed</b>
25 cts. for 10, \$1.50 per 100	

### HARDY LILIES

These lovely favorites need no introduction, for their beauty is well known. Plant bulbs from 6 to 8 inches deep. Cover beds with leaves or litter during winter. Delivery of bulbs will be made in September or October, as indicated.

<b>Lilium canadense.</b> Bright yellow, red-spotted, flowers in July and August. October delivery. ....	Each	10	100
		\$0 25	\$2 20 \$20 00
<b>L. candidum.</b> (Madonna Lily). Pure glistening white flowers on strong, stiff stems. September delivery. ....		25	2 20 20 00

## Hardy Lilies, continued

<b>L. elegans</b> , Orange-red, slightly spotted purplish black, anthers red. October delivery.....	Each	10	100
	\$0 25	\$2 20	\$20 00
<b>L. Hansonii</b> . Flowers reddish orange, eight to twelve in a cluster; petals thick and lasting. October delivery.....	50	4 50	
<b>L. Henryi</b> . Rich golden yellow, lightly spotted brown. Often reaches a height of 6 feet. October delivery.....	50	4 50	
<b>L. philadelphicum</b> . Bright orange-red, tinged yellow in center, and spotted deep purple, anthers red. October delivery.....	25	2 20	20 00
<b>L. regale (myriophyllum)</b> . Deliciously fragrant flowers with pure white petals passing to bright canary-yellow at the center; the white sometimes has a suffusion of pink. October delivery.....	1 50	12 00	
<b>L. tenuifolium</b> . Medium-sized, perfectly formed flowers of dazzling coral-red. October delivery. ....	20	1 50	15 00
<b>L. speciosum</b> . White, suffused rose-pink in the center and spotted blood-red, with a green stripe at the base. October delivery.....	25	2 20	20 00
<b>L. superbum</b> . Bright reddish orange flowers, shaded yellow and spotted purplish brown at base. October delivery.....	25	2 20	20 00



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